

# INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

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## A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

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## B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

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Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)

DWPI & keywords: flashlight, torch; lanyard, strap, rope, cord, loop, cable; hook, clasp, cleat; release, detach, adjust; and other similar terms

## C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X	US 1 454 530 A (ARNOLD) 8 May 1923 see entire document	1-6, 12
X	GB 2 243 677 A (WOODS) 6 November 1991 see entire document	1, 3, 5, 7, 8
A	US 3 184 593 A (WIEGELMANN ET AL.) 18 May 1965 see entire document	1 - 13
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		HU	59158	IE	910408	IL	97025	
		MX	9203123	NO	913923	NZ	237023	
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